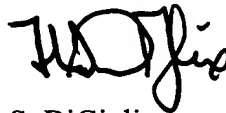


REMARKS

The present application is a divisional application of U.S. Serial No. 08/663,272 (the "272 application") filed on November 25, 1996. Applicants have amended the specification and claims to identify sequences by sequence identification numbers. No new matter is added. Applicants further submit that a computer readable form (CRF) copy and a paper copy of the Sequence Listing were submitted on January 7, 2002. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included herein for the Examiner's convenience.

In view of the foregoing amendment, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, which action is earnestly solicited.

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